



**City of Fremont Notice of Fund Availability
Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)**

Para información en español, por favor llame a Leticia Leyva a (510) 574-2072.

CDBG

The City of Fremont announces the availability of approximately \$560,000 in CDBG funds for the following types of projects benefitting low to moderate income Fremont residents in each of the next two fiscal years: FY 2014-2015 and FY 2015-2016:

- Capital projects: Designed to specifically support public facility (and housing in limited cases) acquisition, pre-development, construction, and rehabilitation projects.
- Housing related public service projects: Targeted at continuing the City's effort in promoting fair, affordable and accessible housing.
- Micro-enterprise projects: Targeted at enhancing the City's efforts in promoting family economic success and self-sufficiency.

In order to be considered for CDBG funding, agencies must meet the following minimum qualifications:

- (1) Proposed project must meet one of the following CDBG National Objectives:
 - a. Benefit low-moderate income persons
 - b. Prevention/ Elimination of Slums or Blight
 - c. Address Urgent Needs
- (2) Applicant must be a 501(c)(3) non-profit or public agency. Secular ministries or programs of a religious organization are also eligible.
- (3) Ability to meet Department of Housing and Urban Development's CDBG program requirements
- (4) Ability to meet City's grant requirements

CDBG PROPOSAL ORIENTATION AND PUBLIC HEARING

The City of Fremont Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC) and staff will hold a Public Hearing and Proposal Orientation for all agencies interested in requesting FY 2014-16 funding. City staff will review the CDBG RFP, the proposal timeline and criteria used to evaluate proposals. They will also answer any questions you may have about the process. The public will have an opportunity to give input and express funding priorities.

The Proposal Orientation & Public Hearing will be held as follows:

- Date:** December 11, 2013
Time: 6:00 P.M.
Location: City of Fremont Training Room
3300 Capitol Avenue, Bldg. B. Fremont, CA 94538
RSVP: Shanti Jeyakumar, (510) 574-2061 or sjeyakumar@fremont.gov by December 9, 2013

Funding Process Timeline:

- Monday, December 2, 2013: Request for Proposals (RFP) materials will be available on ZoomGrants at <https://zoomgrants.com>
- Wednesday, December 11, 2013 6:00 to 7:30 p.m.: Proposal orientation and public hearing (see details above)
- Thursday, January 23, 2014 by 5:00 p.m.: Proposals are due to the City of Fremont Human Services Department, via <https://zoomgrants.com>. Hard copies, faxes or emails will not be accepted.

The Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC) will review CDBG funding proposals in February 2014 and make its funding recommendations in March 2014. The City Council will review these recommendations and make their final funding decisions on April 15, 2014 (tentative date).

If you have any questions regarding this notice or if your agency is not currently on the City's RFP list and you would like to receive a RFP notice, please contact Lucia Hughes, at (510) 574-2043 or Leticia Leyva at (510) 574-2072.